Amendment No. 3 to SB0872

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AMEND Senate Bill No. 872

House Bill No. 614*

by adding the following language as a new section immediately preceding the effective date section and by redesignating the effective date section accordingly:

SECTION ___. Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 2, Chapter 20, Part 1, is amended by adding the following language as a new, appropriately designated section: § 2-10-1__.

- (a) Acting in consultation with the various county election commissions, the state coordinator of elections shall develop and implement a framework of policies and procedures designed to preserve and protect the integrity of all voting machines used in Tennessee during the 2010 election cycle. Such framework of policies and procedures shall safeguard against the fraudulent exploitation of the inherent vulnerabilities of voting technologies to be used in 2010.
- (b) On or before January 1, 2010, the state coordinator of elections shall submit a written report to the governor and to each member of the general assembly describing the policies and procedures developed pursuant to subsection (a) and detailing the timeline for implementation thereof.